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and it hurts when we don't get an award. I don't know the answer here either.

Most chapters do not leave enough space for the gold seals. The last show of the season had over 200 gold seals. Please allow enough room. Space is needed so the bloom can be spread out and blank space left between each class.

I think we need another division in the seedling class. We need to recognize the miniature seedlings. We neet two more rosettes - single miniature seedling and double miniature seedling.

How do we split the large collector section? Do we need to split it at all? Much has been said about this and much will be said in the future. No matter what is done I believe we need a way to force the exhibitor who will deliberately keep his number of varieties just below the line to advance into the higher group. I don't like to see an amateur keep his varieties at 24 and never get into the collector class. The same would apply if we make another class of 100 varieties or up. How do we get them to move? Advancement by winning tri-colors has been suggested. I like this idea.

The chapters will have to set a time past when no more bloom will be accepted. I don't mean a time for the exhibitor to arrive at the show - I mean a time to get the bloom entered. If the time is set at 11:45 then the exhibitor who arrives at 11:30 will have only 15 minutes in which to enter his bloom. We must stop accepting bloom early enough to get them all judged. All you late birds will have to get out your flashlight and start earlier.

Enough of this rambling. We have had a very good show season. The shows were excellent in size and quality. Thank you all for your wonderful help.

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BACK ISSUES

We have on hand the following back issues of the Seed Pod:

Nov. Dec. Jan. 1957-58	Fall 1965
Winter 1960-61	Winter 1965
Spring 1961	Spring 1966
Fall 1961	Summer 1966
Fall 1962	Fall 1966
Spring 1963	Jan-Mar. 1967
Winter 1963	Apr-Jun. 1967
Spring 1964	July-Sept. 1967
Summer 1964	Jan-Mar. 1968
Fall 1964	April-June 1968
Winter 1964	July-Sept. 1968
Spring 1965	Oct-Dec. 1968

Since some of our members have been purchasing back issues at a buck an issue we will stick to this price. Several issues are only one each. If you want any of them send your $1.00 per issue and it is a first come, first served deal. Send your request to the Executive Secretary.

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Uncle Homer had passed away, and the clan was all gathered expectantly at the reading of the will.

The lawyer adjusted his spectacles and began to read: "Being of sound mind," Uncle Homer had written, "I spent all my money!"

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"And what kind of luck have you had in looking for an honest man?" inquired a passer-by.

"Pretty fair," replied Diogenes. "I still have my lantern."

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Giving till it hurts makes some people extremely sensitive to pain.

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